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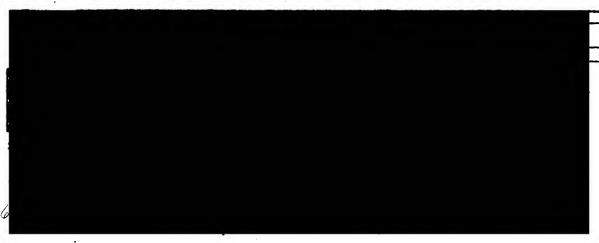
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- ı. The police in Thuringia is referred to as a whole as the Thuringian Landespolizei, and is subdivided into the Kreispolizei, Stadtpolizei and Schutzpolisei. The Schutspolisei is responsible for control of the border.
- Highest headquarters of the Schutzpolizei is located in Weimar. The chief 2. there is Oberpoliseirat Carresius. The Schutspolizei is divided into a northern group (Gruppe I) with headquarters in Milhleusen, and a southern group (Gruppe II) with headquarters in Rudolstadt. Gruppe II is controlled by a Russian Grenskommissar (Border Commissar), who transmits orders through the group chief, Polizeirat Dens. Gruppe II is subdivided into the following sectors (Abschnitte):
 - Sector 1: Lobenatein
 - Sector 2: Oberlind ъ.
 - Sector 3: Keiningen (Chief, Kommissar Amm)
- 3. The following police posts fall within the area of Sector 3:
 - (Chief, Oberwachtmeister Mann) Gompersthausen 8.
 - b. Rieth (Chief, Obsruchtmeister Seidel)
 - Schweikershausen (Chief, Oberwachtmeister Ziprich) c.
 - Hellingen (Chief, Oberwachtmeister Miller) Document No.

(Chief, Oberwachtmeister Grau) 0. Poppenhausen

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- Hils (Chief, Wachtmoister Heaht) k.
- (Chief, Hauptwachtmeister Leutsche) 1. Hendhauson
- (Chief, Obermohtmeister Kempf) Behrungen m.
- Berkach (Chief, Oberwachtmeister Weise) n.
- (Chiof, Oberwachtmeister Schuster) Hermannsfold
- Each rost consists of one chief (Postenführer) and nine non. Armameut consists of one Cerran rifle and five rounds of arrunition per man.
- Police ranks are as follows: 5.

Upon entering the police an applicant (Andreer) undervoes a four-year trial period. After successful completion of this period, he is appointed Polizeiumchtmeister: Higher non-commissioned ranks are Oberwachtmeister and Hauptwachtmeister, Commissioned ranks are Kommissar (Leutnaut), Oberkormissar (Oberleutnant), Polizeirat (Hauptmann) and Oberpolizeirat

- Members of the Thuringian police must be politically clear that is, they must not have belonged to the the NSDAP, SA, SS, HJ, or a similar organization, and must not have held the rank of Unteroffizier or higher in the 'chrmacht. All are taken automatically into the SED on the day of their appointment.
- 7. Members of the Thuringian Schutzpolizei are strictly forbidden to speak to members of the Bavarian Grenzpolizei. All must sign a pledge not to do so, and violators of thic rledge are brought to trial on charges of sabotage.

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